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Mr. Fred Micke
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RE: Work Plan Revision Request – STS Project No. 1-25585-XI, Correspondence No. 093

Dear Mr. Micke and Ms. Simon:

STS Consultants, Ltd. (STS) submitted a request June 25, 2002 to revise the Work Plan. The request included a change in sequence where Area 1 would be carried through Phase 1 (removal of all identified radiologically-impacted soil) and Phase 2 (excavation and screening of all fill soil in 18 inch lifts) before moving to Area 2. Further, we had requested that the Phase 2 work in Area 1 include flattening the slopes of the excavations left after Phase 1, to facilitate walkover surveys.

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In response to our request, in a telephone call from Ms. Verneta Simon, we understand the request as proposed was denied. The objection was to the flattening of the slopes which might spread radiologically-impacted soil to unimpacted areas.

We therefore, are revising the change request to specify that no flattening of the slopes will be done. The 18 inch lift surveys will be performed as the fill is excavated without any grading.

The change request consists of only the sequence change, wherein Area 1 is taken through Phases 1 and 2 before progressing to Area 2. Based on our telephone conversation, we understand USEPA has no objection to this revision. Please confirm you concurrence in writing for our files.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Regards,

CC:

STS CONSULTANTS, LTD.

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